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Editorial Correspondence.

Stockton, Dec. 29, 1856.

The city of Stockton is improving in many respects equal to that of any other California city. Its growth is not rapid, it is true, but still it is of that same steady nature which renders it permanent. The population is assuming a more resident class than heretofore, and those who come here for the purposes of business do so with the intention of a long residence. Financially, the city of Stockton is in a better condition than any other city. Its debt has been funded, and now everything is conducted on a cash basis. The debt of the city amounts to \$240,000, of which amount \$300,000 is payable in New York in 18 years, at 10 per cent. per annum, and \$40,000 in Stockton in ten years, at the same rate of interest. The treasury of the city contains about \$12,000, and is constantly increasing. Considerable improvements have, from time to time, been made to the city. The wharf along the levee, which cost \$90,000, among the principal ones. Several of the streets, which were formerly plank roads, are now macadamized, and it is contemplated to improve all the avenues in the same way as soon as the planking wears out. Gas is shortly to be introduced into the city upon an improved and economical plan, under the superintendence of James Wethered, Esq., of San Francisco, the agent of the company contracting for the same.

Stockton has a very fair number of handsome buildings several of which have lately been put up. The Masons and Odd Fellows have each elegant lodge rooms—the former in the Weber House, and the latter in a brick building on El Dorado street, near the levee. The theatre, at the corner of El Dorado and Main street, is also a very excellent and comfortable edifice, built of brick, three stories in height, the lower stories being used for stores. Opposite the theatre, on El Dorado street, a large and substantial stable has lately been erected. It is two stories in height, built of pressed brick. It is 51 feet 6 inches in width, and 95 feet in depth, and contains about 50 stalls—constructed similar to those in the stable of Mr. Hunt, at the corner of Sacramento and Kearny streets. The stable was built by J. W. Wentworth, member of Monumental Co., for the owners and proprietors, Messrs. Raynor and Patterson.

I wish I could say something in favor of the hotel of this place; but I cannot and keep within the bounds of truth. The Stocktonians know their inferiority in this respect themselves; and it is a matter of surprise some, enterprising does not erect a hotel of the proper kind and size. It would pay a splendid profit, and would be advantageous to travelers.

A military company was organized on Saturday night last. The members forming the same met at the City Hall at 7 o'clock, and with but very little difficulty completed their organization by the election of the following gentlemen as their officers:

Captain, S. A. Booker; First Lieutenant, P. E. Connor; Senior 2d Lieutenant, H. C. Patrick; Junior 2d, C. F. White; Orderly Sergeant, J. H. Webster; 2d Sergeant, F. C. Andrew; 3d Sergeant, E. B. Whitman; 4th Sergeant, John Dillon. First Corporal, J. W. Vansyckle; 2d Corporal, J. H. Keeler; 3d Corporal, J. D. Boyle; 4th Corporal, J. Ruddle; Drummer, John Tauffer; Fifer, J. C. Daniels.

After the election of officers, a committee was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws for the government of the company; committees were also appointed to procure a suitable drill-room, and to report a style of uniform to be worn. The intention is, if possible, to parade and give a ball on 22d of February next.

The following are the names of those who signed the roll up to Saturday evening last:

H. T. Compton, C. P. Greenly, P. E. Connor, H. C. Patrick, W. H. Lyons, S. A. Booker, F. M. Howison, John H. Webster, A. C. Gage, S. Brown, C. C. Cammack, B. F. Sanborn, B. Lavan, J. W. Rodgers, O. H. Perry, George E. Tabor, J. A. Middleton, James S. Perry, R. G. Peterson, J. Ruddle, Frank Stewart, S. H. Brooks, John Groom, P. R. Minton, J. R. Hobbs, R. N. Baker, P. L. Shoaf, A. McPherson, G. A. Shortell, Wm. M. Yancey, John Crum, John Dillon, F. C. Andrew, H. Amy, R. K. Bell, C. C. Terrell, E. B. Whitman, M. H. Elton, John Tauffer, John C. Daniels, P. Bonifant, J. B. Scott, D. T. Howard, Edwin Hickenbotham, W. S. Gardner, P. Gallagher, J. Tharver, S. Fearall, W. B. Carroll, Wm. H. Ruddle, L. Klockgether.

C. F. Whale, Joseph Neall, George E. Drew, A. G. Stakes, J. D. Boyle, J. M. Vansyckle, Thomas Marshall, P. Carroll, G. B. Campbell, P. M. Bowen, John M. Neall, W. J. Pollard, L. Y. Smith, F. F. Corcoran.

I was very courteously invited to be present at the organization, and for the first time in my life had a practical illustration of the "office seeking the man." There was not a single aspirant in the corps for an office, and the result of it was a unanimity of feeling, which argued more for the success and prosperity of the company than any influence that could be brought to bear. My impression is, that as soon as the company is well established, Captain Booker will resign, and Lieutenant Connor will assume command. The name of the company is to be the "Stockton City Guards," and the Committee on Uniform, as I am informed, will report in favor of the regular army dress, similar to that of the "Independent National Guard"—the neatest and best adopted military uniform now in use, either for the regular or civil service. The Quarter-Master and Adjutant-General of the State will furnish the Stockton company with 60 stand of arms.

A very elegant badge made of gold and suitably engraved, is to be presented to R. B. Lane, Esq., Secretary of Eureka Engine Co., No. 2, on New Years day. Mr. L. is a very popular member of the Department and of his company, and an efficient officer. The Eureka's contemplate giving a ball on a grand scale, of which due notice will be given.

Speaking of balls, reminds me of something I heard a few nights since, which bears a slight resemblance in point of beauty of sentiment, to that request of the young lady, who did not desire to be "danced hard," on account of the superabundant quantity of "alkali" in her possession. At a ball given here, within the year above dated, all the beauty, wit, fashion, and intelligence of Stockton congregated. A number of "Heaven's last and best gift to man" from various portions of the surrounding country lent their charms to grace the scene. One of the latter particularly attracted the notice of all assembled at the ball—the staidness of her mien—the richness of her dress—the grace and ease with which she passed through the "mazes of the dance," rendered her the subject of remark and criticism; her hand was sought by the gallants of the city, with a fervor, beyond all description, and by none more than a gentleman well known for his partiality to the sex, and his chivalric bearing upon all occasions, and to whom for brevity I shall give the name of "Ike Newman."

"Ike" sought an introduction, was successful, and was charmed, and a quadrille being at hand, he requested and was granted the honor of her company. He led her forth with a triumphant air, and was about engaging her in conversation, when the band struck up for the dance. During the interval between the dances, and upon several occasions while dancing, "Ike" tried to get up a "talk" and broached many number of subjects which he deemed worthy of the lady's consideration, to which he duly received replies in those well known monosyllables "Yes, and No."

"Ike" was worried; until now he had always made an impression; in fact he considered himself *au fait*, with the sex, and for the life of him, he knew not where he was deficient. Acting then that sound reasoning of "Richelieu," that "there is no such word as fail," he returned with renewed vigor to the contest. He spoke of the weather—the probabilities of rain—the beauties of Stockton—the dangers of navigating the slough—the growth of the tules, and an hundred other subjects, to which he thought would be of interest, but to all of which she turned a deaf ear. At last, almost frantic, and weakened by his efforts, a happy thought struck "Ike;" he spoke of the ball then going on. In a moment the lady's manner changed and turning to poor "Ike," drew herself up as the expression has it, to her full height—her eyes radiated with excitement—nostrils dilated like a war horse during a charge, she spoke, and said:

"Talk about your balls; hump; we're going to have a ball at Day's crossing, to-morrow night, that'll jest knock the sand rite out of them things yer hev in Stockton; there nice now I ken tell you."

"Ike Newman" with blanched cheeks, looked at the lady, but unable to speak; for she exerted a charm over him equal to that of Wiseren the snake tamer, but much worse for Ike. His knees knocked together; cold drops of perspiration stood upon his brow, and he would have sunk to his knees, were it not for the support of the band, (barring all his beatings), a good hearted man, called "partners to their seats; when "Ike Newman" deposited his lovely burden, and rushing from the room, consulted the spirits, and found relief.

Mrs. Hayne has appeared since my last in the "Hunchback," "Honey-moon," and "Eradie," in all of which she has been eminently successful. Mrs. Judah appeared on Thursday night as "Helen," in the first named play, it being her first appearance in that character for four years. She played her part, as she usually does, admirably. Mr. Pope, who has also been very successful, and in fact the entire company have made a most favorable impression on the Stocktonians, as ladies and gentlemen are always sure to do. The company will leave on Saturday next for Sonoma, and will make their first appearance on the Monday following.

Messrs. Lee & Bennett's Circus company will make their first appearance for the season, at Sacramento, on the 6th of January. I am told, it is the intention to bring out spectacles, as is the custom in the Atlantic cities, on a magnificent scale. I leave here this morning for Sonoma, from which place I shall again write.

Mode of Voting.

In our issue of the 13th, we published an article relative to the above subject, and addressed more particularly to the New York Firemen, as that body contemplated a change in the style of voting for their next Chief Engineer, to be elected in February 1857. It seems the Engineers, Foremen and Assistants of the New York Fire Department met in convention on the 15th, November, to consider the subject, and by a decided majority refused to adopt the same system as that under which the San Francisco Fire Department is governed.

The following from the *Leader* of Nov. 16th, will be read with attention:

CONVENTION OF ENGINEERS, FOREMEN, AND ASSISTANTS.

The convention met at Fireman's Hall last evening, pursuant to adjournment. The meeting was called to order at 8 o'clock, by Mr. Samuel Burdick Vice President of the Board of Engineers and Foremen. Mr. Alonzo Shaw, Foreman of Hose Company No. 34, acting as Secretary. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The Chairman stated to the meeting that as some dispute had arisen in regard to the legality of the convention, he would cause to be read for the information of the convention, the opinion of the Assistant Corporation Counsel on the subject. The Secretary read as follows:

OPINION OF ASSISTANT CORPORATION COUNSEL ON THE LEGALITY OF THE CONVENTION.

Office Counsel to the Corporation. GENTLEMEN.—In reply to your inquiry whether the Assistant Foremen of the Fire Companies are made by law members of the convention which is called for holding and conducting elections in the Fire Department, I have the honor to reply that they are. The ordinance of July 16, 1839, expressly makes the Assistant Foremen members of the convention. See revised ordinance, and the minutes of the Engineers and Foremen and Assistant Foremen of the Fire Companies shall have power and it shall be their duty to establish and provide regulations for holding and conducting the elections authorized to be held by the ordinance, and rules for testing the qualifications of electors thereof.

I am not aware that the ordinance has ever been repealed or modified. Mr. McClenahan embodies it in his compilation of the laws relative to the Fire Department, made in 1855. Judge Kent likewise has incorporated it in his revision of the corporation Ordinances. I think there can be no reasonable doubt that it is now a valid and subsisting ordinance of the corporation.

Respectfully yours,
M. V. B. WILKINSON,
Assistant Corporation Counsel.

To Messrs. Vail, Lynes, Farinham, Morris and St. Clair.
CHAIRMAN.—Gentlemen the object of the meeting is the reception of the reports of the committee appointed at the former meeting of the convention. The Secretary will please read. The Secretary read the following report:

THE ENGINEERS, FOREMEN AND ASSISTANT FOREMEN OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.
GENTLEMEN.—The Committee appointed at your last session to take into consideration certain resolutions then offered, relative to a change in the method of conducting Fire Department elections for Engineers, Foremen and Assistants, have the honor to report.

That, having given the subject referred to them a full and fair consideration, they have determined to report in favor of the principle of all elections, and accordingly submit the following resolutions, which have been drafted with a view to insure all an opportunity of voting, without any unnecessary loss of time.

Your committee propose to provide for nine election polls, thereby giving the Inspectors in each district ample time—three to say nine hours to receive the votes; and as there will be no more than three hundred votes cast at any one poll, every voter will have ample leisure to deposit his ballot without being annoyed by the pressure of a crowd in waiting for a like purpose.

It has been deemed advisable to give the Chief Engineer the power of selecting the Inspectors, and naming the places at which the polls are to be held, besides providing that the Inspectors shall be sworn, faithfully to perform the duties of the office to which they are appointed.

Your committee, in view of the ample opportunity that has been afforded for a full discussion of the merits or demerits of the poll system, and the publicity that has been given to various opinions on the subject, do not here propose, or wish to enter into any lengthy remarks as to the question before them. As an election is now near at hand for an Engineer in the Harlem District, your committee believe that a trial of the system may be safely made without any detriment to the interests of the Department. It works well in this instance, as the undersigned have no doubt that it will, it can then be safely attempted at all future elections; and if the reverse should be the case, then the Board will have sufficient reason to return to the method now pursued. No member of the Department can surely have any objection to giving the new plan a fair trial, especially when no peculiar interest is involved, as is the case with the election to come off next month.

Your committee, therefore, submit and ask for the adoption of the following:

each of the other five districts in the city south of Twenty-second street.

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer be and hereby is empowered to select the places at which the said polls are to be held, and also to appoint three Inspectors for each poll, the said Inspectors to be actual members of Companies located in the districts for which they are appointed, and one of each of the bodies by which he is distinguished. Each of the said Inspectors shall be appointed at least ten days previous to the election, and shall each subscribe an oath or affirmation before the Mayor, that he will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office to which he is appointed.

Resolved, That the returns of each company shall be made by the Foreman and Secretary of each company under oath, to be a correct return of the votes as cast by the members of such company, who were legally entitled to vote at said election, and that each member deposited his own ballot and no other, and that the election was held according to the rules specified by the Convention of Engineers, Foremen and Assistant Foremen, and at the time specified.

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Mr. Millward, of Hose Company No. 46, opposed the poll system as a measure calculated to bring discord and difficulty in the Department and said that if the measure was unfortunately adopted, he should be tempted to resign his membership in so corrupt an institution, as the edict would then go forth that the Foremen were unfit to govern their companies, or to be trusted with making out reports of company elections.

Mr. Curtis, of Hook and Ladder Company No. 4, spoke at length in favor of the substitute, and was answered in his explanations of how they played "poker" on the Mississippi steamboats, by some sharper who didn't want the game exposed; he thought that if the firemen could not be entrusted with returns they could not be worthy of acting as Inspectors of Election.

Mr. McGowan, of Engine 49, opposed the polling system, principally on account of the difficulty of getting the members of the Department residing in Carmanville, Bloomington, and Kingsbridge down to Harlem to vote; also that much confusion would ensue around the polls and the Department brought into disrepute, by the members and outsiders, while conducting their election publicly.

The question was called for repeatedly during the discussion, and the Chairman stated that the adoption of the substitute would annul both the majority and minority reports and bring about what was almost directly the old manner of voting. The question on the substitute was put and the ayes and nays called for with the following result: Affirmative, 162; Negative, 38.

The substitute was declared adopted by the chair.

Mr. James Carroll, of Hook and Ladder Company No. 12, moved a reconsideration, which was of course lost. Motion to adjourn, to pay expenses, to assess the members present twenty-five cents each, to dispense with calling the roll, were made simultaneously, and in the midst of the tumult the Board adjourned.

PORTER'S SPIRIT OF THE TIMES.—The tall son of Yew's new "Spirit" is a very tall and all appearance a flourishing affair. Porter is fully up to the "Times" and we always hail his sheet with pleasure for it is an amusing friend with whom we can rely upon an hour's entertaining fire-side chat. The following from one of his correspondents is decidedly good: the moral might be studied with advantage by some of our Munchausens hereabout.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 21.

DEAR SPIRIT.—In Hartford county Maryland, live two old farmers who have been fast friends since boyhood, and though both have testy dispositions, nothing has occurred to mar the peace and harmony of their relationship until the last year, when each happened to own a three year old colt, and each thought their own "horse" the best. Taking good care, however, never to let them come together; they used, when they met, to brag of speed and relate the performance of their favorite nags. The Colonel, as one of the old gentlemen was called, could brag his friend considerably, and always silenced him by relating some extraordinary time, or astonishing jump, his colt had made, until flesh and blood could stand it no longer. One day, after a much higher jump than usual, old Jake broke out with—"Well, I swear, you are the biggest liar in Hartford county; I believe you would rather tell a lie on six months' credit, than tell the truth for cash. The Colonel never said colt again. Your truly, L. B.

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ties opposed to the measures advocated.

Howard Vail, of Hook and Ladder Company No. 13, was surprised at the majority of the Committee presenting any resolutions other than those referred to them. He did not believe the Committee had any right to alter the resolutions in question, and objected to their adoption. A. O. Aleock, of Engine Company No. 10, rose, and after a few preliminary remarks, offered as a substitute the following resolutions:

Resolved, That at all elections for Chief or Assistant Engineers held after this date, the polls shall be held in each company's house, between the hours of 7 and 10, on the evening designated for such election.

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Historical. Board of Delegates.

March 11.

Regular monthly meeting was held on Thursday evening March 11, 1857.

Chief Engineer in the chair.

Roll called, 14 members present.

Minutes of last meeting adopted.

Communication was received and read from California No. 4, Howard No. 9, and Sansome H. & L. No. 3, ordered on file.

On motion, Resolved that the constitution reported by the committee, be taken up and acted on by sections, and the action taken, be merely considered as an approval of the report by the committee.

Articles 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 were adopted.

An amendment was offered to Art. 6, which was lost, and article 6, adopted as reported.

Articles 7 and 8, adopted.

Article 9, was amended to read: "a company shall consist of one Foreman, and at least one Assistant Foreman, a Secretary and a Treasurer, and at least 25 members, who shall have assigned to them, or in their possession, either an engine or Hook and Ladder apparatus or Hose Cart or the necessary equipments of their organizations."

A motion was then offered, "that action be taken separately, regarding the number of members to be allowed to Engines, Hook and Ladders, and Hose companies." Motion carried.

Various motions to limit the Engine companies to 100, to 75, to 60, and to 50, all of which were lost.

On motion, adjourned to Monday evening 15th.

MARCH 16.

The Board met on Monday March 16, 1857.

Chief Engineer in chair.

Roll called, 15 members present.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Mr. A. A. Brinsmade was received as delegate from St. Francis H. & L.

On motion, Resolved, "that no member speak longer than 5 minutes, or more than twice on the same subject."

Art. 9th, of constitution was taken up and amended to read as follows:

"Each company shall be allowed 75 members, except the Monumental Co., who shall be allowed not to exceed 400 members to each engine, and said company not to be allowed more than 3 engines."

Each Hook and Ladder to be allowed not to exceed 75 members. Hose Cars, 25 members. Sappers and Miners 25 members."

The act as amended was adopted.

Article 10, was amended as follows:

The Secretary of each company shall report semi-annually, the roll of his company, stating the number of men enrolled, who are active firemen, and doing duty as such, also the names of such persons elected, resigned or expelled from the company, and such other information as he may deem expedient.

Article 11th, adopted with the following addition:

"The Foreman and assistants of each Hook and Ladder and Hose company shall have a Hook and Ladder or coil of hose painted on the front of their hats; also name and number of company."

Art. 12th, adopted.

Art. 13th, after inserting the word "the President" excepted.

Art. 14th, adopted.

Art. 15th, amended to read "a certificate shall be given to each active member of a fire company duly reported to the Department, upon his paying two dollars to the Secretary, who shall send said money to the Treasurer after first defraying the expense of getting up the certificate."

Art. 16th, was adopted.

Art. 17th, was stricken out.

Art. 18th, read, and substitute offered by Mr. J. H. Catter which was referred to a special committee to consist of Catter, Catter, Z. D. Greene, and the chairman.

On Motion, Resolved, "that the secretary be directed to notify the President of the Monumental Company No. 6, 7, and 8, that both the delegates from that company, had left the room without permission while the Board was in session, thereby showing a lack of courtesy to the chair."

On motion, adjourned to meet on Thursday evening 18th, inst.

T. D. GREEN, Sec'y pro tem.

MARCH 18.

An adjourned meeting of the Board was held on Thursday evening March 18, 1857.

Chief Engineer in the chair.

Roll called, 15 members present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

A communication was received from the Monumental No. 6, 7, and 8, which was read and on motion laid over.

On motion the Eureka Engine company No. 2, was declared disbanded.

On motion the Howard Engine Co. No. 9, was assigned No. 3, to be known hereafter as Howard Engine Co. No. 3.

The special committee reported substitute to Art. 18, of Constitution, which was adopted and Articles 18 to 20 and 21 stricken out.

ARTICLES 22 and 23 adopted; Art. 24, amended and adopted; 25 to 27, adopted; Article 28 stricken out; Article 29 adopted; Article 11 amended and adopted.

Art. 3, reconsidered, and amendment offered to read "75 members to each engine," to which amendment the following was offered, "that it read 75 members to each company, which was carried."

To Hook and Ladder 75 members, Hose Co., 25, Sappers and miners, 25.

When on motion Article 9, as amended, was adopted.

Motion to adopt the constitution on the whole, as amended and approved by Articles being put to vote, and yeas and nays called resulted as follows:

The Secretary neglected to record the vote. Eleven yeas being necessary to the adoption; the motion was declared not carried.

A communication from Monumental No. 6, 7, and 8 of E. T. Batture elected as Delegate in place of P. W. Shepherd.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Thomas G. Clark & Co.

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